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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Applicant: G. Gobeli

Serial No.: 08/873,999

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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR GLUCOSE
CONCENTRATION MEASUREMENT WITH
SPECIAL ATTENTION TO BLOOD GLUCOSE
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REQUEST FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents.

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested in the matter of the above application that the time for
response to the Office Action of July 7, 2000 be extended for a period of three months, or until
January 7, 2001. Our check in the amount of \$445.00 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be
required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 03-0088. A duplicate copy of this sheet is
enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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